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## FRED STEWART

Court of Appeals Affirms the Big Case From Mc-Cracken.

GIVES ESTATE \$15,000

John G. Miller Was Attorney For the Plaintiff, Who Is Now Dead—Lost Both Legs.

THE WHOLE COURT SAT IN THE CASE

The noted case of Fred Stewart against the Illinois Central railroad was finally settled this morning in the court of appeals at Frankfort by the court affirming the judgment of the lower court, which was for \$15,000. The case went up from Mc-Cracken after two trials.

Stewart was a switchman in the yards here, and one morning about three years ago in throwing a switch, his toe was crushed. He attempted to continue work, and near Broadway finally fell from the engine in a faint, and the wheels cut off both legs.

He sued for damages and was at the first trial awarded \$10,000. A new trial was granted and the second verdict was for \$15,000. The railroad attorneys moved for a new trial, but the motion was overruled and an appeal taken.

Stewart went to Springfield, Mo., to reside, and there a year or two ago died from smallpox. The case had been in the court of appeals for over a year, and the decision of the court will place about \$15,000 in Stewart's estate, the administrator of which is Mr. Felix Randolph.

Mrs. Stewart resides in Springfield, Mo., and was notified by telegraph of the decision.

The decision of the court today increases the original judgment of \$10,000 to over \$15,000 on account of the interest added, and the payment of costs.

Attorney John G. Miller was the attorney in the case.

Three other cases were affirmed by the court of appeals today. One was that of Seibert and others against L. Bloomfield, administrator of the estate of the late Mrs. Margaret Grief. Miss Mary B. E. Grief and others had several personal claims against the estate, amounting to one thousand dollars or more, and the lower court gave a judgment for the amounts and ordered promptly sold to satisfy them. The court of appeals now affirms the lower court.

The case of H. Well & Sons against Sturgis, on account for a small amount of about \$60, won by the defendant in the lower court was affirmed.

The case of Rice against Rice's administrator was also affirmed. This was on an insurance policy payable to the deceased's estate. A woman he had been living with claimed a share and the lower court decided against her, ordering the money paid to the estate, and the appellate court affirmed.

**WAS BORN DEAD.**  
The child born to Marie Owen, of West Court street, at the city hospital night before last was born dead and did not die from want of attention as published in some of the papers. The child was badly decomposed when born. Dr. Pendley was with the mother at the birth of the infant and Dr. Lillard Sanders arrived in time to take charge of the case before it had been completed.

Read the article on the editorial page of interest to the children.



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## CLOSE SATURDAY.

NO BIDS FOR CUSTOM HOUSE IMPROVEMENTS AFTER SATURDAY.

The bids for improvements at the government building recently authorized by the treasury department will be opened Saturday. They are for a wall on the North side of the building, a driveway, and improvements on the buildings.

Bids for furnishing coal for next year will again be called and the contract probably let. The other bids were all rejected by the department.

## THE ELKS.

TOMORROW NIGHT THE BUILDING PROPOSITION TO BE CONSIDERED.

Tomorrow night at the regular meeting of the Elks the purchase of a home will probably be considered. There is some opposition to buying in the business part of town, and many are not in favor of buying at all just now, deeming it wise to wait awhile. Nothing has been done towards purchasing the Leech building, and it is likely the action authorizing it, will be reconsidered at tomorrow's meeting. A large attendance is probable.

Says the Louisville Times of yesterday: There is a strong sentiment among Kentucky Elks to establish a state headquarters at the Milwaukee reunion. It is very likely that this will be done. In point of numbers Louisville lodge will be but poorly represented at the Milwaukee reunion. So far only two members have stated they would go. Members of the Louisville lodge of Elks are strongly opposed to a national Elks' home. The sentiment here is that each lodge should take care of its dependents and that a national home would become an eyesore.

## GIVEN THE LOWEST FINE.

W. J. Cotham, the man who was charged with obstructing a public highway at Clark's river by mooring a raft at the road, was tried before Justice Barber yesterday afternoon and fined \$5 and costs, the lowest penalty.

We ask our young readers to read the article addressed to them in the editorial columns today.

## MARKET REPORT

Today's Quotations.  
(Market quotations furnished by Van Dusen & Azen, of the Paducah Commission company, 112 South Third street, received over their special wire to the Chicago board of trade and New York cotton and stock exchange. Telephone 423.)

### GRAIN.

WHEAT—	Open	High	Low	Close
June...	71 1/2	71 3/4	70 3/4	70 3/4
July...	68 1/2	68 3/4	67 1/2	67 1/2
Aug...	42 1/2	42 3/4	41 1/2	41 1/2
Sept...	42 1/2	42 3/4	41 1/2	41 1/2
OATS—				
July...	27 1/2	27 3/4	26 1/2	26 1/2
Aug...	26 1/2	26 3/4	25 1/2	25 1/2

### PROVISIONS.

PORK—				
July...	14.90		14.85	
Sept...	15.05		15.00	
LARD—				
July...	8.57		8.55	
Sept...	8.67		8.65	
RISES—				
July...	8.07		8.07	
Sept...	8.12		8.12	

### N. Y. COTTON.

July...	8.18	8.36
Aug...	7.61	7.70
Sept...	7.30	7.37
Oct...	7.18	7.20
Nov...		
Dec...	7.18	7.30
Jan...	7.10	7.23

### N. Y. S. OILS.

Sugar...	14 1/2	14 1/2
B. R. T...	80	81 1/2
A. M. T...	140 1/2	140 1/2
U. S. S...	49 1/2	49 1/2
U. S. S. Pr...	98 1/2	98 1/2
L. & N...	109 1/2	109 1/2
G. O. I...	59	63
Mo. P...	122 1/2	122 1/2

### THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Thursday. Warm or tonight in the eastern western portion.

### DEATH IN THE CITY HOSPITAL.

Mrs. Emeline Floyd, aged 72, died last night in the city hospital from general debility after a several weeks' illness. She was born in West Tennessee, and the remains will be buried in the Hough graveyard.

### RAILROAD NEWS.

The annual Convention of Train Dispatchers of America is now in session at San Francisco. Dispatcher J. B. Alvey, of the city, is a delegate.

A Nashville dispatch says: Colonel Jere Baxter, president, W. B. Doldridge, vice president and general manager, F. M. Biesbe, chief engineer, and J. E. Rodes will go to Clarksville tomorrow, to take preliminary survey of the route of the Tennessee Central. A corps of men will be on the road next week, locating the route permanently, and it is announced that work will begin as soon as possible after necessary arrangements are completed. Col. Baxter said today that no pains or labor will be spared to get the connections made and trains running at the earliest possible time.

The gross earnings of thirty-eight roads for the fourth week in May were \$9,559,810, against \$8,985,559 for the fourth week in May, 1900, an increase of \$574,251. Thirty roads show increases and eight decreases. Since January 1 the roads referred to above earned \$143,625,497, an increase of \$11,233,360 over the \$132,402,137 reported for the corresponding period of 1900. For the longer period thirty show increases and eight decreases. For the month of May forty-three roads earned \$26,693,689, an increase of \$4,759,842 over the \$21,933,847 reported for the month of May, 1900.

Supervisor W. C. Waggoner, of the Illinois Central, was in the city last night.

Trainmaster J. J. Flynn, of the Memphis division, is in the city.

Mr. H. C. Warden, the well known I. C. machinist, has resigned and will probably go out west. He is a prominent union man and was sent as a delegate to the I. C. conference at Chicago when the pay rate for the machinists was fixed. His many friends here will be sorry to learn of his departure.

Several sections of the I. C. shop yard fence on the Huntington row side was blown down in yesterday's blow. The fencing will be replaced immediately. Several fences out in the country also suffered from the blow.

Miss Mayne Townsend went to Hopkinsville at noon today to meet Miss B. Anderson and from there they will go to Dawson for a sojourn of a few weeks.

Miss Anna Webb and her guest, Miss Beare, of New York, are spending this week at "The Pines," with Mrs. Robert Becker Phillips.

Ira D. Beckard, Duncombe, Ia., writes: "My little or scalded his leg from the knee to the ankle. I used BANNER SALVE immediately and in three weeks' time it was almost entirely healed. I want to recommend it to every family and advise them to keep Banner Salve on hand, as it is a sure remedy for scalds or any sores."

J. C. Gilbert.

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## ABOUT THE CITY

The Council Will Elect a Milk and Meat Inspector Monday.

ARE NO APPLICANTS YET

The Sewerage System Reported to Be Working Well—City Improving Its Drainage in Several Places.

DOG LICENSES COMING IN SLOWLY

The milk and meat inspector to be elected under the ordinance passed Monday by the council will be elected at the regular meeting next Monday night. Thus far there are no applicants for the place but the candidates will probably begin to show up before Monday.

Sewerage Inspector George A. Gardner states that the cleaning of the sewers, just completed, shows that the system is in excellent condition. The only places that had become any ways foul were where few connections have been made and there was not enough water to float away the sewage. The Harrison street line, which had been in use since 1897, needed no cleaning at all. The report of the inspector shows that the sewerage system is a great success.

The collection of city taxes averages \$600 a day, and the total collection since June 1 is about \$6,000.

There have been 258 dog licenses issued since May 1 but the number usually runs to between 500 and 600 every year. It is probable that warrants will have to be issued before the delinquents can be made to pay.

Sewerage permits issued this month promise to be in excess of those last month. There have thus far been ten plumbing and two yard sewer permits issued by Inspector Gardner.

Mayor Lang is building an addition to his house and yesterday's rain came at a most inopportune time. It blew the tarpaulin off the roof and washed all the new plastering off, as well as otherwise damaging the rooms.

Street Inspector Utterback has two gravel gangs at work patching the streets. One is at work on South Third and one on North Sixth. The city is now getting its gravel at the Johnson pit in the county.

The work of changing the drainage of the alley adjoining Rehkopf's color factory, on Court street, is in progress. The alley back of Wallenstein's has already been completed.

The business houses on South Third street between Broadway and Court streets, will not be required to connect with the sewerage, as ordered to do a few days ago by the health authorities and sewerage inspector. It was subsequently learned that the buildings drain back and in order to free the gutter of the stagnant water Street Inspector Utterback is laying drain pipes and filling the gutters with gravel. The pipes drain into the storm water sewers at Third and Broadway. One side of the street has been completed and the other will be finished by tomorrow.

The hospital committee has not yet finished its investigation of the city physician affair, and will some time this afternoon hear more evidence. Its report will be made to the council at the regular meeting Monday night.

The public improvement committee of the council met yesterday afternoon late and opened bids for the work of extending Central fire station in order to make room for the new

airial ladder and truck. They found from the bids that some of the contractors had figured on one thing and some on another and for this reason rejected all bids and will have specifications drawn for the work and call for other bids.

The Thompson laundry has been ordered by Sewerage Inspector Gardner and Health Officer to connect with the sewerage. For some time past water from the laundry has run over the sidewalk into the gutter from the alley on Court, near Rehkopf's.

Construction Engineer L. A. Washington, of the Illinois Central, is in the city to begin the work of repairing First street where the railroad tracks pass. The council ordered this done at a meeting a week or two ago. Work will begin as soon as the material arrives.

## POLICE COURT.

NEIGHBORHOOD ROW AND ONE PLAIN DRUNK FOR ADJUDICATION.

There were but three cases in the police court this morning. Bill Brownland, colored, was fined \$1 and costs for a plain drunk. There were two cases, one against Mrs. Lizzie Bates, charged with using insulting language towards one another. It seemed to have been a family disturbance and the court dismissed the warrants and recognized them in the sum of \$100 for their good behavior.

## GRAVE CHARGES

A Warrant Issued This Morning Against Several Persons of Mechanicsburg.

BERTHA BEASLEY'S STORY

Thirteen-Year-Old Girl Claims She Was Taken to Livingston Point and Badly Mistreated.

POLICE ON THE CASE ALL MORNING

Mrs. Ellaine Beasley, who lives on a shanty boat near the mouth of Island Creek, called at police headquarters this morning with her thirteen-year-old daughter, Edith May, and wanted warrants for a crowd of whom she claims induced her daughter to go to a "play party," and kept her all night and a day up about Livingston Point.

According to the story told there was a most revolting plot to get the girl away for immoral purposes. Night before last two strange women called at the boat and asked that the girl be allowed to attend a "play party" they were giving a number of girls about her age on Tennessee street. She would be brought back before the cars stopped running they said. The girl was permitted to go, the mother, who seems to be a simple kind of woman, feeling no hesitancy. Nothing was said about any men being in the party.

After walking a mile or more, according to the girl's story, they came to a skiff. There were all told, including the two women and girl, four women and four men. The girl here objected to going any further and claims the men then drew pistols and forced her to go.

They all went up to Livingston's Point, and to a lake in that vicinity where the party prepared to have a good time. They remained all night and all day yesterday, the girl claiming that she could not induce them to bring her back home. They returned about 7 o'clock last night.

Believing that she had not told all, Prosecuting Attorney Campbell and Judge Sanders this morning questioned the girl closely, and she finally said that she had been criminally assaulted by one of the men while the other men and the women held her. She declared, but they refused, and at least one of the men outraged her.

Marshall Collins, County Attorney Graves and Prosecuting Attorney Campbell were at work on the case all the morning.

Dr. B. B. Griffith was called to make an examination of the girl, and the result confirmed her claim to a certain extent.

Warrants were issued against John Bulger, Frank Eich and wife, Minnie Gaynor and will be against the others who were in the party when their names are learned for rape, conspiracy to rape, and detaining a woman.

Officers Harlan and Clark arrested John Gaynor, John Bulger and Frank Eich this afternoon, and they were committed to jail to await a hearing tomorrow. The others have not been arrested, but officers are after them.

A. O. Blanchard, West Bangor, N. Y., says: "I have been troubled with kidney disease for the last five years. Have doctor with several physicians and I got no relief until I used two bottles of FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE."

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There is something that will interest the young reader in the editorial column today.

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## STATE BAPTISTS

The Meeting at Murray Is Being Well Attended—Interesting Discussions.

HEADLESS BODY KNOWN

Robert Morris Acquitted of Murder at Hopkinsville—Pretty Girl Creates Sensation at Henderson.

MINISTERS AT MURRAY.

Murray, June 12.—There is a good attendance of the State Baptist Ministerial conference here, and the weather is cooler and more conducive to a profitable meeting. Today the conference discussed "Marriage and Divorce."

HEADLESS BODY IDENTIFIED. Lowell, Mass., June 12.—The headless body of a woman found near here, the head of which was found last night, has been identified as that of Mrs. Margaret Blondin, whose husband is missing. It is thought she suffered the same fate as Pearl Bryan.

GIRL CREATES SENSATION. Henderson, June 12.—A pretty girl stranger in man's attire created a sensation by appearing on the streets here last night.

ACQUITTED OF MURDER. Hopkinsville, June 12.—Robert Morris was acquitted of the murder of Marion Henderson here. Five years ago Henderson had killed a brother of Morris.

MURDERER KILLED BY CAR. Terre Haute, June 12.—Russell Bement, a prominent merchant, was today killed by a street car.

INDIANS THREATEN TROUBLE. Red Lodge, Mont., June 12.—The Arapahoe Indians are threatening serious trouble on the Shoshone reservation.

SENSATION AT FRANKFORT. Frankfort, June 12.—A sensation was created here late last night by the attempt of a negro to assault Miss Holmes, daughter of the postmaster. She was returning from commencement, accompanied by her brother, who fought the negro until he ran.

KILLING NEAR HENDERSON. Henderson, June 12.—At Boaz, this county, Boze Williams, colored, was killed and two friends shot by John Arnett, colored, who claims the shot gun exploded accidentally.

MISS FLAGLER MARRIES. Washington, June 12.—Miss Elizabeth Flagler, who five years ago shot and killed a boy stealing fruit in her father's garden, and had since been doing penance in Canada, has been married to Dr. Wilson McKean.

STORM IN MICHIGAN. Adrian, Mich., June 12.—A tornado struck here today and swept clear a tract half a mile wide, doing great damage. No loss of life is reported.

EXPECT AN APPOINTMENT. Rome, June 12.—It is said on good authority that the vatican is expecting the appointment of an envoy by the United States to officially settle Roman Catholic ecclesiastical affairs in Cuba and the Philippines.

## MAD DOG BITE

BOY FROM THE MAXON'S MILLS SECTION BROUGHT IN TODAY.

OWNER FOUND.

The \$630 found in a stocking yesterday afternoon by a boy and turned over to Marshall Collins proved to be the property of Mr. G. H. Christy. Mrs. Christy had gone to the city to make a few purchases and deposit the money, and finding that the banks were closed when she started home, made no effort to deposit it. She lost it on her way back, and did not miss it until Mr. Christy saw the item in the paper about the money being found and hastened home, finding that it was his own. The boy who found it was Oscar Poulson, who was given a \$20 bill as a reward.

## DEATH AT FULTON.

Mr. A. P. McCreadie, a pioneer citizen of Fulton, aged 72, died at Fulton and was buried yesterday. He had been ill for some time from heart failure.

## THE TEMPERATURE.

Yesterday the mercury went to 96 in the shade and today will go nearly as high. The minimum today was 67, and at noon the temperature was 90. The rainfall last evening was not quite half an inch.

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